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Mr. Gregory Danneffel District Supervisor Kalamazoo District Office Water Division, MDEQ 7953 Adobe Road Kalamazoo, MI 49009-5026

Subject:

Former Plainwell Impoundment USEPA Plainwell Dam No 2 SF – Allegan County Retained Self-Monitoring Requirements – 2009

Dear Mr. Danneffel:

ARCADIS has prepared this report to comply with the year-end reporting requirements described in Section C, Part 3 of the Substantive Requirements Document (SRD) MIU990028.

According to the SRD, the discharger (ARCADIS) is required to maintain a year-to-date log of retained self-monitoring reports. The discharger must certify to the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality (MDEQ) that these year-to-date logs have been retained and the application on which the SRD was based still accurately describes the discharge.

Water was treated and discharged as needed at Outfall 003 (as described in the SRD) between October 5 and November 24, 2009. The volume of water treated and discharged was recorded daily and summarized on a monthly basis. The required influent, mid-point, and effluent sampling and analysis was also conducted as required by the SRD and retained with the treatment and discharge data in the year-to-date log. Analytical data and discharge data were used to calculate monthly loading data. These year-to-date logs are available for review at the project site or by requesting the information from the Facility Contact provided in the SRD.

The application on which the SRD is based still accurately describes the discharge. Discharge is expected to resume in April 2010 and continue through November 2010. No significant changes to the discharge have occurred or are anticipated.

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Our ref: B0064536.0001.00676 Outfall 003 was located in the same approximate location as described in the SRD. Minor adjustments may be made to locations of Outfalls 001 and 002 in 2010, but the outfalls will remain approximately at the coordinates described in the SRD. If significant changes to the outfall locations are planned, MDEQ will be notified prior to making such changes.

Should you have any questions or comments, please do not hesitate to contact me at 312.332.4937 ext. 12.

Sincerely,

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